

## RAILROAD WINNING STRIKE CAUSED BY RECENT WAGE CUT

Southern Line Is Operating With Non-Union Workers at Lower Rate.

PLACES EASILY FILLED

Deficit in Revenue Equals Amount Saved in Pay Reduction.

STILL OVER OLD SCALE

Public Sympathy With Atlanta System Now Running on Regular Schedule.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

ATLANTA, April 2.—This is a story of what President Harding and his Cabinet are running into when they talk of salvaging the railroads. It tells how one railroad, "tired of being operated solely for the benefit of the workers and losing money at the same time," hit on a solution that brought on a strike, and in the strike the road appears to have gained the victory.

It was on March 5 that 1,500 union men left the trains and the shops of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic because a Federal court had directed its receiver to reduce their wages 25 per cent. so that the system might continue to operate. The Railway Labor Board in Chicago previously had refused to sanction such a cut.

Every member of the fourteen brotherhoods represented went on strike. For several days not a wheel passed over the 600 odd miles of railroad, vital to the industries of Georgia, Alabama and neighboring States.

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permanent wage scale be fixed. The court ordered the wage scale fixed in Judge Sibley's recent reduction order be placed into effect permanently.

Commenting on the proposition, Judge Clayton declared: "The union men acted too hastily, I think. This court cannot say who is to blame, but the striking employees abandoned their claims and severed their connections with the railroad, and this court cannot now tell the receiver to discharge the men subsequently employed."

Col. Bugg is considered one of the ablest railroad men in the country. He was born in Mississippi, the son of a prominent lawyer. He began his railroad career as a telegraph operator and agent in Florida. Since that time he has served with the Central of Georgia, the Old Dominion Steamship Company, traffic manager of the Norfolk Southern and in 1915 he was made traffic manager of the A. B. and A. He held other positions with that road, and when the war began he was vice-president and general manager. During the war he served as Lieutenant Colonel and organized the Sixty-sixth Engineers.

## SISTER LEADS BOYS IN SEMINARY FIRE

Directs 54 From Flames, Which Destroy Main Building in Hempstead.

The main building of the Sacred Heart Seminary at Hempstead, L. I., which included the chapel, classrooms and the living quarters of the Sisters of St. Joseph, who conduct the school, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The loss was about \$50,000. The Rev. Robert Boyle forced his way into the chapel with the aid of Fireman Robert Brower and with an axe broke open the tabernacle. He rescued the Blessed Sacrament.

Fifty-four small boys were marched out of the building in order and without injury at the direction of Sister St. Hilary, mother superior. The boys had met in the classrooms at 9 o'clock for the short Saturday session and prayers were being said when the fire broke out in a rear room on the ground floor. It was believed a kerosene stove had overturned.

Sister St. Hilary notified the sisters in charge of the boys, and the classes were dismissed. The pupils were led out of the building to their own dormitory, about 200 yards away. Before the arrival of the Hempstead firemen the Rev. Joseph Smith and Father Boyle fought the flames, but unsuccessfully.

The building was a two-story frame structure and burned rapidly. Part of it was 100 years old, and the main building was known as the Hewlett homestead. It was located at Pluton and High streets, Hempstead. Firemen were unable to check the flames, and the sacrament was all that was saved.

SUES UNCLE FOR \$50,000.

Skirt Maker Charges Plot to Send Him to Sing Sing.

Samuel Kanner, who came to this country as a boy and worked himself up until in April, 1920, he was able to open up a skirt business, started an action for \$50,000 damages in the Supreme Court yesterday against his uncle, Hyman Kanner, David, Becker, and Samuel S. Kanner, lawyers.

These three, he alleges, conspired to send him to Sing Sing on a charge of grand larceny, because his uncle, for whom he had worked at one time, was jealous of the rival business he set up.

He recites that Judge Mulqueen of General Sessions dismissed on November 28, 1920, the indictment charging him and others with stealing \$18,000 worth of goods from his uncle's establishment.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY.

New York Man Accused in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, April 2.—A prisoner in the county jail on the charge of passing an invalid check for \$2,000 on the Fifth National Bank in this city, Robert Rinehart, 50, of New York city, was today charged with bigamy as the result of a warrant sworn to by Rose Pushkin Rinehart of this city.

Rose Pushkin Rinehart says she married Rinehart September 6 last. She alleges that on July 1, 1898, Rinehart was also married and never was divorced from Roena Frank in New York and that he has a son 33 years old. She says he has wealthy relatives.

WELCOME ARCHBISHOP HAYES.

A reception to Archbishop Patrick J. Hayes as a formal welcome upon his return from his recent visit to the Pope will be held at the Hippodrome this afternoon by the president, faculty and alumni of Manhattan College. Mr. John T. Childwick will head a delegation of 20 opticians. Former Governor Smith, Justice Daniel F. Cohalan of the Supreme Court and W. Bourke Cockran are guests.

TRAVIS RULING TO-MORROW.

Judge John F. McIntyre in General Sessions will hear to-morrow on the request of counsel for State Comptroller James A. Wendell and former Comptroller Eugene M. Travis, under indictment charged with fraud, who ask permission to hasten the minutes of the Grand Jury as a preliminary to moving for a dismissal of the indictments. Wendell and Travis are accused of defrauding the State through irregular bond purchases for the sinking fund.

FRED IN COFFEY MURDER.

Alto Ward, who conducts the restaurant in 27 East Seventy-sixth street where John L. Coffey, a former patrolman, was stabbed fatally last Monday morning, was discharged yesterday in Yorkville court at the request of John R. Hennin, an Assistant District Attorney. He was arrested Monday evening on suspicion of homicide. Ward lives at 317 Hester street.

FOR THE WELL-DEVELOPED FIGURE

"Abrast" White Coutil Corsets, \$4.98

Reduced from \$7.50

Designed for the well-developed figure, and made of fine strong white Coutil, these Corsets have been selling regularly for \$7.50. They are well boned throughout with black boning, with the graduated steel at the front. Medium high bust, long skirt.

Sizes 24 to 36.

A. & S.—Second floor, East.

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And they like them especially well at this price, for it is decidedly less-than-usual, and in the popular 12-button length! These gloves are all well made, well fitting, and come in the shades that spring demands—white, mode, champagne and pearl.

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# Remarkable Reductions in FURNITURE Lead the SUMMERTIME SALES FOR THE HOME!

The Most Popular Spring Fabric!

Canton Crepe

\$3.18 yd., from \$3.98

This is one of the very lowest prices that has been quoted this season on all silk Canton Crepe! \$3.98 is our regular stock price, and that is a very reasonable figure, so the 80c a yard is a worth-while saving! The fabric is 39 inches wide, all silk, and in a splendid range of colors. Also black.

Chiffon Taffeta, \$1.49 yd. from \$1.98

All silk, 4 1/2 in. fine range of colors, including navy. 35 in. wide.

Fancy Tricolette, \$2.98 yd.

Knit fibre silk, in the smartest colors and black and white. 40 and 48 in. wide; greatly under priced.

Crepe de Chine, \$1.39 yd.

A wide range of light and dark colors and black. 36 and 39 in. wide.

Dress Foulards, \$1.59 yd.

New patterns in splendid colors, all silk. 38 in.

Black Charmeuse, \$2.39

All silk, especially low priced. 40 inches.

VAMPIRE SILK—a new Spring silk—\$5.00 yard.

A. & S.—Street floor, West.

## Specially-priced Lamps For the Sumertime Home

Just what you have been planning to buy—a boudoir lamp. There are several varieties to suit your special desire.

Boudoir Lamps, \$2.95

These are mahogany finished with highly polished base, complete with silk shade in attractive color combinations.

Vase Electric Lamps, \$6.95

Stand 14 inches high on wooden base. Complete with 10-inch parchment shade to match vase. Former price \$9.95.

Polychrome Candlesticks, 95c

Comprise a number of designs in beautiful colors. Flat base. Complete with wax candles in all colors. Regularly \$1.24.

Mahogany Finished Candlesticks, 79c

Highly polished with flat base. Complete with twisted candles in all colors. Were 98c.

Metal Ivory Candlesticks, 75c

Artistic shape, several color tints complete with wax candles. In an assortment of colors. Were \$1.00

Gas Globes, 21c

Fine quality of globes in two styles. In all there are pressed designs. Were 29c.

A. & S.—Third floor, Central.

## An Unparalleled Sale of Fine Ostrich Feather Hats \$2.98

When a Sale of this character can be offered at this time of the year—there is a reason—and the reason in this case is that the manufacturer who made these Hats had an unavoidable cancellation, and he offered us the benefit of buying them at less than cost.

There are about a dozen different styles—and more than a dozen shades and colors.

Turbans, off-the-face modes, small-brim sailors, tri-cornes, and all the small and medium styles.

A. & S.—Mezzanine floor, East.

## Sports and Street Models in Women's "Skibo" Tweed Suits at \$21.50

That women appreciate the smartness of "Tweeds" is evidenced by their appearance on Easter as Suits of perfectly good taste for all occasions.

These "Skibo" Tweeds are cut on mannish lines with feminine touches in novel pockets and cut of collars. The colors are tones of tan, green, brown, gray, henna, navy and Copenhagen blue.

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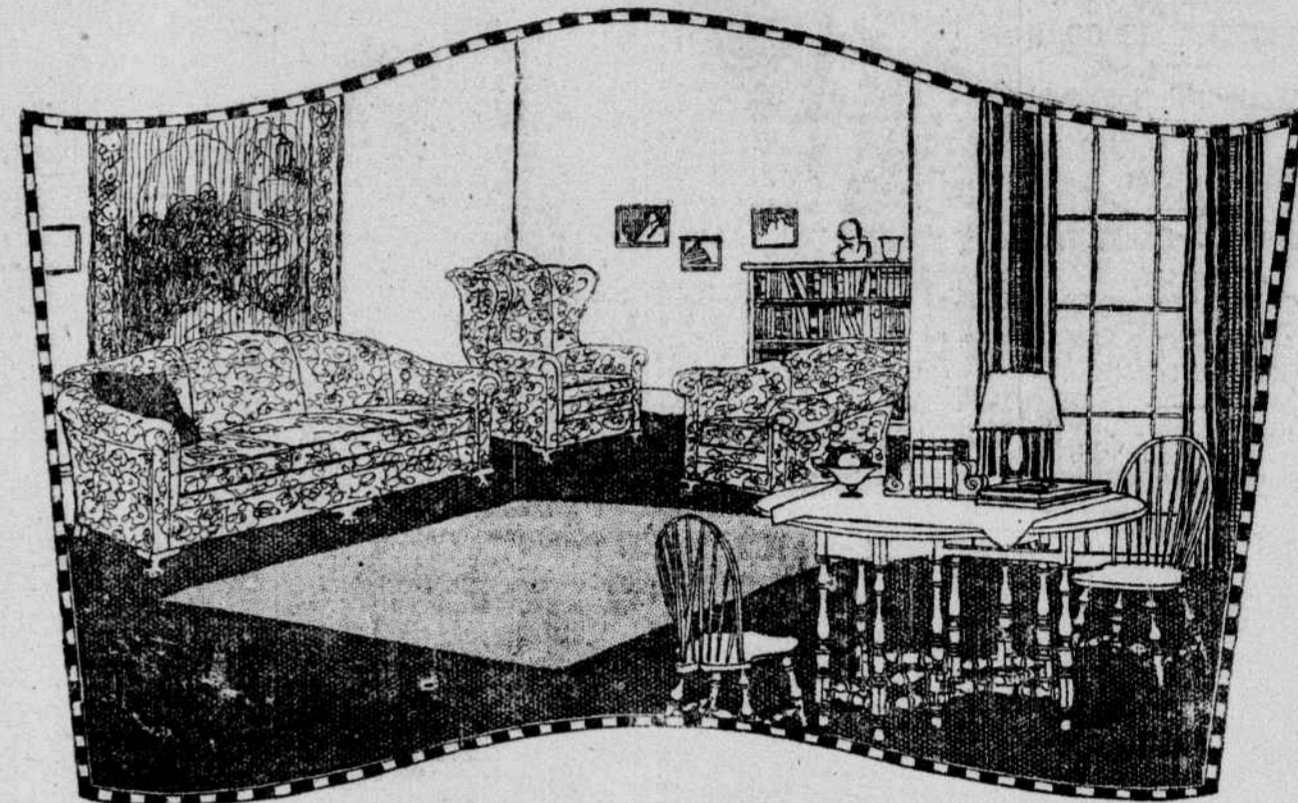
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WITH the advent of Spring come thoughts of making the home cool and colorful. The A. & S. Home-furnishing Sections are gloriously ready with every need that you may desire to secure such a transformation.

It is a well-known fact that the A. & S. furniture values compare most favorably with the offerings to be had anywhere in Greater New York. These decidedly low prices—the result of our policy of cash buying, together with marked reductions from our usual low prices—make this one of the most remarkable Furniture Sales since the pre-war period.

## French Chippendale Dining Room Suites, \$475.00

Reduced from \$585.00

This suite is to be had in walnut or mahogany.

66-inch Buffet, 54-inch Dining Table, China Closet, Serving Table, 5 Side Chairs and 1 Armchair, covered with brown leather, comprise this exquisite suite.

## 3-Piece Upholstered Living Room Suites, \$315.00

The product of our own workshop. Large and roomy Wing Chair, Sofa and Armchair with spring arm invite you to repose. Covered in vari-colored tapestries of your selection.

Sketched

Solid Mahogany Gate Leg

Tables, \$54.00.

Beautifully made with drop leaf and 48-inch top. Eight legs and ten cross stretchers. Moulded rim drawer.

Mahogany-finished Windsor Side Chairs, \$16.50.

Reproductions of the old shawl-seat chairs, with back stretchers, five added strength. Shaped seat.

Three-piece Overstuffed Tapestry Suites, \$267.00.

6-foot Sofa, Wing Chair and Armchair have separate cushion seats, and are beautifully upholstered in different tapestries.

## 5-Piece Louis XVI. Bed Room Suites, \$375.00

Formerly \$785.00

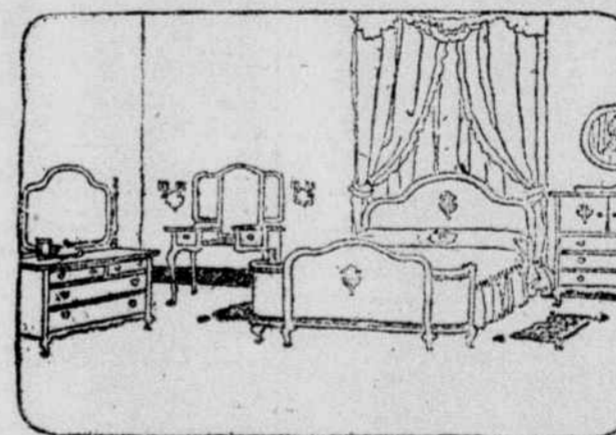
Brown mahogany Bureau has 30x40 French plate mirror, Chiffonrobe with wardrobe hangers, shoe tray and 6 drawers; Vanity Case with three mirrors and two drawers, and Twin Beds, 3 ft. 3 in. wide with bow ends and crotch mahogany medallion on footboard. The same sets as above in Ivory or French Gray at the same price. Also the French Gray Suite with Twin Beds, \$450.00, formerly \$848.50.

## Mahogany-Finish Colonial Day-Beds \$25.00

Reduced from \$29.75

Curved ends with turned top rails and shaped lower rails. 30 to 36 inch sizes. Combination or separate box springs and mattresses at \$23.00 and up.

A. & S.—Fourth floor, East.

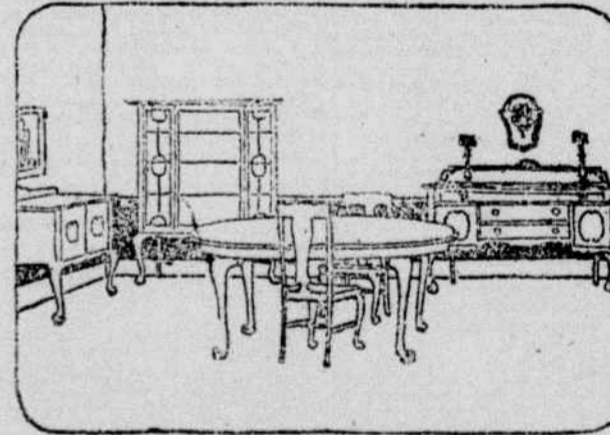


## 4-Piece Walnut Queen Anne Bedroom Suites, \$295.00

Still another exquisite suite, comprising dressers with four drawers, chiffonrobe with three trays and three drawers, vanity case with three shaped mirrors, and twin beds with bow footboards, with burl walnut medallions on head and foot. \$359.00.

5-piece suites with full-sized bed, \$359.00

3-piece suites with full-sized bed, 233.50



## 10-piece Walnut or Mahogany Dining Room Suites, \$275.00

Reduced from \$345.00

The pieces in this Chippendale design suite are exactly matched. Buffet has French plate mirror top. Other pieces are 48-inch top Extension Table, China Closet, Enclosed Serving Table, 5 Side and 1 Arm Chair, with brown leather seats.

A. & S.—Fourth floor, Central and East.

## China and Glassware Specially Priced for the Summertime Sales

Just what you have been waiting, for a real opportunity to stock up with out-of-the-ordinary China and Glassware. This stock has been carefully inventoried and all possible stock has been set aside for this clearance sale. The following indicates the choice and reasonable prices quoted:

### 15-Piece Imported and Domestic Porcelain Cereal Sets, \$7.95 set

There is a large variety of neat decorations on square shapes. Entire set consists of six large jars, six small jars, one each oil bottle, vinegar bottle and salt box.

### 1200 Imported China Bouillon Cups and Saucers, 29c

Decorated in two border designs on fine imported china. Very special value.

### 32-Piece Blue Bird Porcelain Luncheon Sets, \$4.85 set

Just about 150 sets, decorated in flying bluebirds and flowers blue line at edge.

### Encrusted Gold Decorated Glassware, \$3.95 each

Handsomely decorated with a wide etched gold border and fine gold line on various graceful shapes of crystal. Group consists of handled cake plate, cheese and cracker dishes, flower vases and 9-inch Nappies.

### Light Cut Crystal Refreshment Sets, \$3.95

Richly cut in a handsome rose and foliage design. Sets consist of 14 pieces—covered pitcher, 6 tall glasses and 6 glass sanitary spoons. In pink, blue, green, purple or amber colors.

### Thin Blown Table Glassware, 25c

Variety of graceful shapes in plain or optic. Water goblets in various shapes and sizes. Low and high footed. Sherbet glasses.

A. & S.—Subway floor, Central.